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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: Computer System and Data Transfer Control Method

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- 1. A check for \$1470.00 representing a \$1430.00 filing fee and \$40.00 for recording the Assignment.
- 2. Application 61 pages, including 12 independent claims and 19 claims total.
- 3. Drawings 10 sheets of formal drawings containing 11 figures.
- 4. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- 5. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Kabushiki Kaisha Toshiba.
- 6. Certified copy of Japanese Application No. 11-327178, filed November 17, 1999.
- 7. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with one (1) document attached.

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Applicant claims the right to priority based on Japanese Application No. 11-327178, filed November 17, 1999.

Please accord this application a serial number and filing date and record and return the Assignment to the undersigned.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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